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In re application of:

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For: DNA SEQUENCE ENCODING
FLAVIN-CONTAINING
MONOOXYGENASE

AMENDMENT

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action having a mailing date of February 22, 2002,
please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as set forth in detail herein below. An Appendix
showing all changes to the specification is attached to this amendment as required by 37 C.F.R.
§ 1.121(b).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 15, as amended by the
Request for Filing a Continuation Application dated May 30, 2000 with the following:

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This application is a continuation of and claims the benefit of U.S. Patent
Application No. 08/617,671, filed March 17, 1996, now abandoned, which is a continuation-in-
part of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/023,843, filed February 26, 1993, now abandoned, the
disclosures of which are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.

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